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CANTON, Feb. 18.

BURINESS BETTER. A walk in the Canton streets yesterday and to day disclosed that nearly all the Larger firms are resuming business as asual. and the fear expressed some weeks before the Chinese New Year that a nums or would close fortunately did not come true. Interviews with 'leading merchants show that not more than twenty percent, of the business firms made a profit last year; all blamed the floods, the rebel activities, the war, or the piracies. Collection, however, was good, Revenue Fire Branch..... as the firms did their business mostly on cash basis, giving credit only to the most secured customers. Cash was plentiful at

all native banks at the end of the year. Exporting houses suffered most, it is believed. Last year the export trade was more than twenty per cent. less than in previous years. To most of the persons seen, the depreciation of Government notes has not caused as much suffering as generally b lieved. They said that only those who speculated on them were the real sufferers.

OFFICIAL CHANGES AND GOESTP. Commissioner of Finance Yam Gar Chi formally transferred his office to the acting commission r, Tacytn Chiang Guie Yi, of Yuh-hai Circuit, yesterday. According to inside circles, Commissioner Yam had to DEAK no because he could not work well with the governor-general: Now it is learned that Commissioner Yam had to declare himself in favour of gambling because of pressure from some one higher up. Some reports have it that the present governor-goneral " may resign pretty soon. Some weeks ago some one had worked for the transfer of the governor-general and the keeping of the commission or of finance. Now it appears tou governor-general's friends had the stronger pull.

A MODERATE PRESS. The vernacular press resumed publication this morning, after their ten days' New Year holilay. In commenting on the Sino-Japanese negotiations, they are exceedingly moderate, and the lookers for separtional discussions on the subject were much disappointed. It is believed that the local press know that the Governor-General is friendly to Japont and is much under the influence of the local Japaness consule that their comments may be taken exception to by either one; and that a suspension of publication may result. Moreover, not one out of righteen Cantoness seems to realize what is ucing on up a loking. The other day an attempt was made by one on his New Year greeting four to discuss the matter with whomseever he met and he was willing to tell the correspondent that not one out of eighteen he spoke to could converse on the topic of Jupanese demands on China. Thirteen had never heard of such a thing Those spoken to are not coolie-, but men of a family, or business men who have homes or busing a officer to receive calls. NEW MANDARIN SCHOOL.

A school will soon be opened in the Law College of Canton, a public school, to teach Pakineso, so that the students of the College and otners may learn the national language. Nowadays many lawyers in Canton annuot practice because all judges now in the courts have to be non-Casitonese As Gautonese lawyers, unless speaking Pekinese, caunot make their views known to the court, they can be of no service to the public. Morsover, the pld-time judges now in power care very little about lawyers.

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got, both of which are blindly Catholic ingged, neighbour is as desirable as a

and Hapsburg, may experience a strong weathy, solvent, fat, well-clothed one?

gravitation towards us-I do not deny it France buys largely of us, and sells us

for so moment. But I assure you if I a great many things we want-is it in

were offered Upper and Lower Austria our interest to ruin her completely?"

She populations, between us. If there ed, or I cannot answer for the people-

a fast and sincere alliance with a consti- the least. We are always ready.

provinces of German Austria were where not even for the King! The French: I

1867.

INTERVIEW WITH BISMARCK.

Historical Forecast and Actual Events

(Continued from yesterday's issue).

GERMAN PLANS.

about our plans, our aggregation projects.

sud our ambitions, would not you? I

eyrolf know. First of all, there is Aus-

round, her German nucleus and stand

firmly alone. Of courses we would not

suffer any new oppression of Hungary any

name than we would of the Austrian

Germans, but we shall gladly enter into

tutional King of Hungary, who, as Em-

ment full play in his other provinces.

There is Dohemia, Silesia, etc., again.

They would prove a second Poland to

us. We should have to learn how to

manage the Czechs-whereas Austria has

some experience in that task, although

I what is has been very bad experience.

We don't want Bohemia, Silesia. Mo-

ravia, or any other part of Austria-let

about part of Russian" Poland, Courland,

or the Bültic provinces, is as stupid as

it is entrue. It is frue there is some

disatisfaction amongst those Northerns,

half-German, half-Seandinavian, on ac-

count of the Russian language being

imposed upon them-but we shall not

interfere. What should we do with pro-

vinces which we could not defend 2. Be-

sides, depend upon it, we shall not med-

dle with Russian territory or affairs any

Wurtemberg, I let him know that, al-

though we were prepared to maintain

openly the treaty of Nikolshurg, we would

give our best attention to any proposals

he might like to make, and if we could

munication that he thought the proposi-

kick them downstairs. But we wish it

clearly understood that if Austria must

disintegrate, we don't want any of the

pieces. There is nothing in our attitude

to annoy or alarm France-I think, bar-

ring the accidents at which I have hinted,

there is nothing to prevent the main-

tenance of peace for ten or fifteen years,

by whi 'Trench will have got

accustomed to German unity, and will

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sorts of larguments that we must beat

God be (verbatim, K.) that we can crush

all I can to prevent war; for you must

remember, gentlemen, a war between

as France and Prussia, however it may

turn out, is only the first of at least six;

Why, in ruining France, fertainly-and

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" How are we getting on with our new

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I have removed Hardenberg, who did not

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honest man. We have allowed them to

open their Provincial Dies, so that they

mmy administer their internal affairs

they cur-und we have a certain major

rity of the educated and commercial de-

puties. Against us in the Ritterschaft or

Junkers-une petito gentilhommerie

panyre 'et stupide, who lived on the old

Court and the King. Stollerg asked me

whether the should cheek this party, or

at Least suppress publicity to its sayings

and doings. I told him "by no means."

If they were on our side, I should de-

cidedly advise you to do so-as they are

against us, let them say and do what

they like-they will do us incalculable

vervice by opposing aid vilifying us.

Hanover is all right; and so will Frank-

fort be soon. The fact is that Frank

good deal, and he is very mean in al

matters of money. Henis constantly

straining to add to the Privy Purse, and

somebody must pay for it. But I have

passed my word to the Frankforters that

-perhaps even a little better, as they are

the French if we went to war then:

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Consultation.

it was our turn to hold out a hard. I them the same thing when he was there did not agree with him, and so the mather dropped. But we have since been very careful about South Germany, and have remained quite passive. We can stop we we are for ten years or more, The Man Who only insisting upon the terms of the treaty-but the Southerners will not let Gets There us-and if they come to offer us an accession of power, we shall certainly not

" It ust is trop fin. Some time ago, fort has been hardly used-Von der

shout the vexed question of Bavaria and Heydt, our Finance Minister, hates it

not accept them would faithfully keep their grievances shall be redressed, and

his secret. He wanted to be too clever, that they shall be put on the same foot-

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the other day, and "answer their deputation at Berlin since in the same spirit Why, when there was the question that heavy fine to be inflicted upon them the King insisted upon its being set 50,000,000 thaters-I quietly out it down to 25,000,000 its, and said to myself, Bismarck, you will never see that money! We shall take over all their State debts, and treat them fairly. No wonder their house and land property is depreciated in value if they go on howling all over Europe that nobody must trust them any more! What they have lost is the right of preaching in their State Senate and Diet, if that he a lean-in ment other respects they have gained. About the loan, that is another meas of V. D. Heydt. Prussia is inheritrix (Rechtsmuch(olger) of Frankfort's obligations, out with the Members' lickets. and will redeem them.

"An for our Parliament, it is pretty well in hand. We don't trouble the good people much with politics, and oninternal questions, medified laws, etc., we have a majority. Of course, some of them talk liberal nonsense-they would give anything not to be obliged to do so -but they began on that platform with you can make it as clear to me as that their constituents, and are obliged to continue, much against their will. No Franco and occupy Daris, I will still do difficulties await us from that quarter. THE DANES AND RUSSIA.

The Danes are giving as a good deal of unnecessary trouble. I would meet them half-way, it it were not (nat our people are so mixed in with them in the will tell you exactly what they are, and such supposing we gained all six, what districts they want cedes! I know what would happen to our people who have compromised themselves with as during the last year, if we abandoned them.

small ifficials and the people who would be removed from the Enclosure. revenge themselves-and then we should have another cry of distress rousing Germany and stirring up the whole ugly question againg besides giving a chance to-morrow, I should refuse them. They I strove for peace then-and I will do to France, which I don't mean to do if are too far off; there are Bohemia, Aus., so as long as may be only, remember. I can help it. There are 10, 20, in some trian Silesia. Moravia, with three-fifths German susceptibilities must be respect- places as much as 30 per cent. of Germans in these parts all the fuss is being made about-I cannot and dare not aban-Boliemia, &c., are-if Prague and Vienna am quite awrees are buying horses and don them!

could change places-I do not say no. provisions. That does not frighten me. "One word more about Russia. Rus we do not. I assure you it is our carnest quite right to take precautions against in attacked by an illness. If he desire to see Austria strongthen herself distress. They cannot want provisions only take advice and stop at home for for a war with us, for in suchea war they two or three days, he will get well immust be the aggressors, and if they in- mediately, and be as strong as ever. vada Germany they will find food and But if he will insist upon going out, provender enough for ten French armies. | walking about and stransacting business Their preparations do not disquiet me in abroad as if he were well, then his malady will lay firm hold on him, and perhaps he will die. Two or three days in the life of a man mean ten, twenty, or thirty years in the life of a nation. Russia must 'stop"at' home.' She has got a great future—her highest nobles are intelligent and honourable her peasants are the best fellows in the worldit is in the middle that she is rottenthe official nobility of Tehin is a virulent ulcer eating away her bowels." he

R CORDIAL INTERVIEW. He talked, of course, a great dea more, and said a thousand good things 11.45 A.M. cumot remember—our convergation lasted nearly four hours; and, of course, I had a good deal to say about Austria and the East which he wanted to hear. He was exceedingly cordial—even jovial; told me he would always receive me much better than he did an ambassador, and repeatedly said, "You know I do Luot talk to many people in this waybut I am quite sure of you, and wish such a paper as yours to know me better than there penny-a-line journalists of Germany and France." When I left him he gave me his portrait and autograph, saying that he wished to make quite sure I should not forget him; and as we shook hands he, as at were, summed up: "I believe in peace because, as I have told you, France days not fight us alone, and nobody will help her. In the East, Russia would like to start a disturbance, but is impotent to support it. Poor little Charles of Hohenzollern is a failure, and tions ought to come from our side—that new to us; and I made the King tell complains of the way the Russians behave to him. He is painfully homezick. Good-night! I have been glad to see you again; and when you want to know the teuth about anything particular, ask me, and I will tell you."

Of course, this scance took a lot out of me, as you can imagine I could not take notes, as it would have been totally contrary to the cliquette to be observed when such a favour is granted one as an unreserved chat with Biamarck, I hinted at it, but perceived from his look, though he said nothing, that the sight of note-book would put a coal on his tongue. Bezides, he is a man who has to be led on by interpolated remarks, earthers questions, and the like-all wholly incompatible with the occupation of taking notes.

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T. F. HOUGH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, Feb. 18, 1915.

of distress caused by the War.

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"Hongkong, Feb. 18, 1915.

RACE HOLIDAYS.

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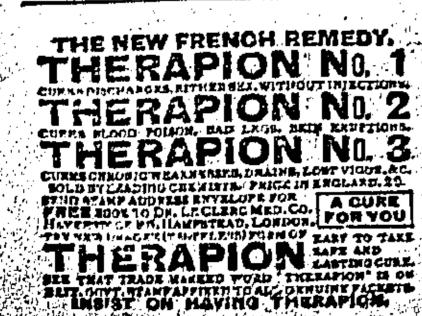
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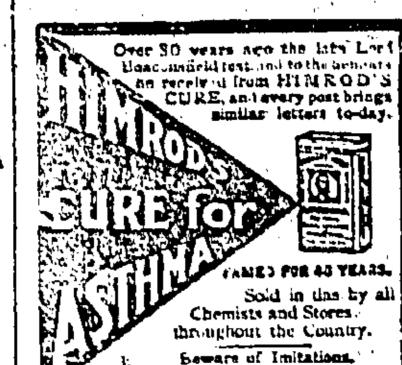
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COMMERCIAL.

SHARE REPORT.

Messrs Vernon and Smyth, to their weekly share report, dated 19th February,

Wa this week resume the issue of our circular discontinued on the outbreak of F. Maitland, who are recommended for the War in Europe and the consequent o'oning of the London and local stock exchanges. These exchanges have now reopened for each by siness, and a fair demand for local investment securities has develop-

Basiness bowever is at present on a very limited scale, dos more to the absence of sellers even at the advance I ra ea nov current, than to the dearth of buying orders, the general position being firm for all dividend paying stocks, the tendency in which is towards further improvement if anything Business on the London Stock Exchange is quiet, due doubtless to the stringent estrictions imposed on its members by the Governing Committee, and beyond the demand for Shell, at 85;- we !

have nothing to report in this section. Locally :- The demand for Hongkong | Thterest received, Banks has been a fairly persistant one, and with small sales at intervening rates the quotation has advanced from \$750 to \$810 at which there are still buyers. Mari - Insurances :- Cantons are wanted

at \$350, Unions at \$825. North Chinas at Tls 160, and Yangiszes at \$225. First Insurances:-Chinas are a quiet market at \$120, but there are buyers of Hongkovgs at \$335, and a slightly higher

rate might possibly be paid. Shipping: China and Manilas are in request at \$6, and Hongkong Ca ton and Macaos at \$2' after sales at \$21's and \$22. There are 'my re of S elle at 85' and sellers of Douglases at \$20 and of Indo-Chinas a 866 with at kny hosiness to Sundry Creditors Water Colours and Inlaid Screens, and report. Star Ferries can be obtained at Balance of Profit and Less s/c.

Refineries - China -ug are have advanced from \$10 to \$108 with small sales at these and intermediate rates during the week, from Peking at the time of the Boxer Re- closing from with buyers at the latter quotation and no. at are an offer under \$110. Luzona have also improved and can now be praced at \$185 after sales.

hining and Oils :- Roubs have been done at 301 and now shares are procurable. Languat have been booked at Tl-. 40 and The 41 and more shares could probably to placed at the higher rate.

Docks. Wharter and Codewes :- Hongkong and Whampos Docks are reglected and close with a nominal quotation \$57. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharves are firm with buyers at \$69, but no shares appear to be available under \$70. There are buyers of Shanghai Docks at Fla. 51, and of Shang-

bai and Hongkow Wharves at Tle. 90. Lands, Hotels and Buildings :- Hong-KINGSCLERE HOTEL, Lands, Hotels and Buildings :- Hong-There are buyers of Certral Estates at 895, and of Hongkorg Hotels at \$124. NRIVALLED position in the Hill 37. Kowloon Lands and West Points close quiet but steady at \$41 and \$685

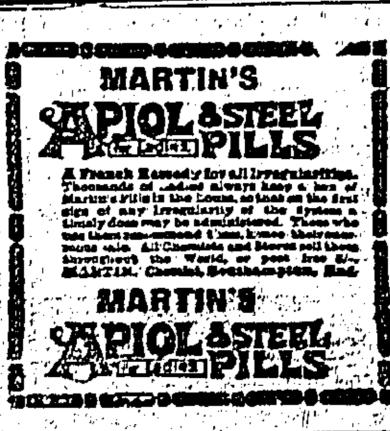
close in strong demand at quotations.

Miscellements - China Pornece are wanted at \$101, China Providents at \$8, Ropes at \$25, and Electrics at \$11. Coments have been done at \$52, and Hougkong Trams at \$5.10, the latter closing in further

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COMPANY REPORT.

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The report for presentation to the sharebolders is as follows : -Annexed we have the pleasure to lay before shareholders a statement of accounts made up to 31st December, 1914.

The gross carnings for the part year amount to \$160,858,22, and there remains a sum of \$88,652.91 at credit of profit and I as account, which it is rec mmonded be appropriated as follows, viz. :--Paplace to Reserve Fund \$ 1,000.00 To pay a Dividend of 7 per

cent or 70 cents per share: 87,500.00 Powerry Estward to the condit of Consulting Committee,-Mr. H. P. White having resigned on leaving the

Colony, Mr. O. W. Barton was invited to take his place. In accordance with the Articles of Association, Mesers S. H. Dodwell, G. W. Barton and U Poi On ratire, but offer themselves for re-election.

Auditors. - The accounts have been andi od by Messrs. A. O'D Gourdin and

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managera. Hongkong, 13th February, 1915.

PROFIT AND LOSE ACCUENT. moulting Committee's fees, 8 3,000 on France, 26on Frances : Donation to Prince of Wales' Decrecistion on Godown' furniture for year 1914

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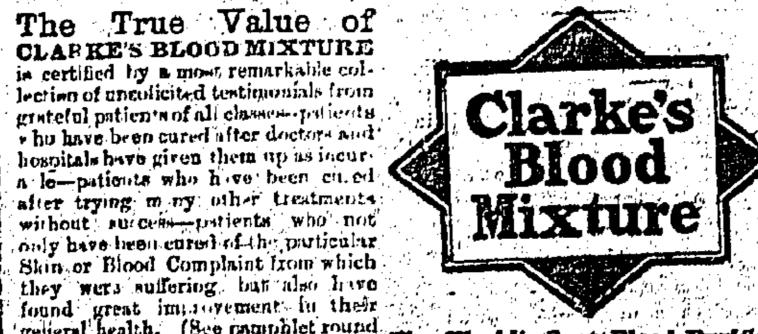
Humphres's Estate and Finance Co., Ld; Aunual General Meeting to-morrow 20th China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co.,

Ld. Anoual Ordinary Meeting 26th in the principal provincial towns and instant. Hongkong and Kawloon Wharf | indus rial centres of the United Kingdom,

Horgeong Hotel Co., Ld. Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting on the 27th instant.

The activities of the Press Censorship are astonishingly extensive. From conscring the weather forecasts, it was the natural step to the censoring of weasent out in London recently concerning a big storm was "blue-pencilled" to the extent of fully one-third-of seven pages only two were left intact.

number of new "Shire" steamers which are gradually replacing the bider class of vessels of this wellknown line trading to the Far East has been added to by the launch of the Pembrokeshire." This vessel was launched on December 17th, and will be a fine steamer of the latest type. Her dimensions are 450ft. by 85ft. by 35ft., with a gross tonnage of 8,850.



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\$1,430,268.85 Stanley H. Dodwell'l Members: [Consulting Committee. G. W. Parten. SHEWAN, TOMES & Co... General Managers.

We report that we have audited the above balance sheet with the books and vonchers of the Company and that is our opinion such balance sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and our est view of the ature of the Company's affairs at the 31st D-cember, 1414, according to the best of our inform ation, and explanations given us, and as shown by the books of the Company. We. have obtained all the information and explanat one we have required. We have

1,400.00 seen all the securities. A. O'D. GOURDIN. } Auditors. F. MAITLING Hongkong, 13th February, 1915.

LONDON - DIRECTORY, Cliffe, where an aerial bomb was TINABLES traders throughout the World | discovered after the passage of a Ger-Li to communicate direct with English man aeroplane, had an important place in the last great plan for the invasion of England. To quote Dr. Holland Rose. in each class of goods. Besides being a Napoleon " hoped to effect a landing near comp ete commercial guide to Land a and the mouth of the Thames, perhaps on its auburbs, the Directory contains lists of the Cliffe peninsula between Sheerness with the Goods they ship, and the Colonial and Gravesend."

It was recently announced that William Marconi was to be among those who would be appointed Sevators on New Year's Day by King Victor Emmanuel. Mr. Marconi was to be appointed a Senator a year ago. and all arrangements had been made to confer the honour upon him, but when King Victor Emmanuel informed the in A copy of the current edition will be ventor of the intention of himself and the Government Mr. Marconi pointed out to the King that he was under the required Dealers seeking Agencies can advertise age-40 years-having been born on April their trade cards for G \$5 or larger adver-25 1874. It is said that the King was much annoyed because his Ministers had not informed themselves of this circumstance before he communicated his inten-

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GERMANY AND THE UNITED

STATES.

As both the public and the Press of

the United States have not hesitated

to show marked sympathy with the

Allies and to denounce the pan-

about the war, the United States is

naturally becoming more and more

obnoxious to the Germans. We learn

that Germany has now decided to

reject President Wilson's expressed

desire that the United States should

play an important role in the bringing

about of peace. The influential and

semi-official Kölnische Zeitlung states

that the peace movement in America

be the arbitrator between Grea-

neutrality, on the whole, has been

favourable to Great Britain. In view

of all this, we cannot have in America

the confidence which we ought to be

would get as an impartial arbitrator

in regard to an arrangement for

irritation against America because she

is friendly to Great Britain. Such a

feeling is only natural, as Great

Britain is the American motherland.

but it is just for this reason that we

feur prejudice, and we must in a

friendly, but firm, manner reject

Count von Reventlow, writing in

the Berlin Tages Zeitung, claims that

America is hopelessly prejudiced in

America handles questions of contra-

bund: "Shipments, he say, whereby

only the Allies benefit, and which

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What has particularly irritated

German opinion is the tone of the

American Press, and this is very

evident in a paragraph quoted by the

Zeitung, which says! "What has

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THE DIARY.

MEMO. FOR TO-DAY. 9 p.m .- Smoking Concert at the Phoenix

MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW. R. H.K. Yacht Club Championship

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Washington's Birthday. Hongkong Jockey Olub Race Meeting.

General Memoranda.

Tree, Feb. 23 & Wgo., Feb., 24 .-Hongkong Jockey Club Race Meeting. Zuursday, February 15:-

Entries close for the Annual Flower and Vo etable Show.

THURSDAY, Feb. 25 & FRIDAY, Feb. 26 :-2.30 p.m .- Auction of Valuable Old Chinese Porcelains, Bronzes, Carved Ivories etc., at Messra Hughes and Hough's.

Fairay, Februsiy 26 :-Settling Day on the H.K. Stock efforts directed against Germany Exchange.

11:30 a.m.-Annual Meeting of the support of one belligerent to the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co. Ltd.

MONDAY. March 1:-St. David's Day.

TUESDAY, March 2:-2.20 p.m.-Auction of Teakwood and Blackwood Furniture etc., at Mesara Hughes and Hough's.

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whole, favoured England."

America's neutrality has upon the

Quite a contrary view on the stand of the American papers is expressed by Dr. Ludwig Stein, the editor of that influential organ of Jewish in the Berlin Vossische Zeitung under the heading "The Change of Opinion! here is awinging in layour of Germany and claims that :- "An especially happy achievement of Count von Bernstorff is that he succeeded, during a visit to William Randoloph! Hearst, the American newspaper king, in capturing this, sovereign newspapers for the German cause. To capture Hearst is equivalent to a buttle won. Since the visit of Count von Bernstorff to Mr. Henrst, the whole Hearst press has come out openly for the German cause, Any ally is welcome to us in these grave times. The pence societies, which are very powerful over there, have at remorsefully renounced his early good progress. accusations of misbehaviour against the Kaiser and is beginning to move tremendously in our favour, . This spirit from below is being met more than half way by willingness from nhové. · Secretary Bryan, despite the feet that his son-in-law is an English officer. Captain Owen of the Royal Engineers, is known throughout the the 'Angel of Peace,' President! Wilson himself is quietly preparing parently absconded. Germanic aspirations that brought for his future rôle of arbiter mundi.

> Aurricans indescribably once more tabe chosen to play a great, worldhistoric mediatory rôle." The Hamburger " Fremdenblatt, however, does not believe in American sincerity, and gives prominence to ! a firale against Americans from the

pen of a correspondent who is des-

It gratifies the self-consciousness of

is not inspired by Germany, and save | cribed as "a partner of German firm? that "American bankers with such in New York." It runs, in part: German names as Schiff and Speyer One factor is the general humbug! n'e rendering doubtful service" to the and hypocrisy of American public The boy entered the cabin while the Fatlar and in orging the ocean dility opinion. Religion, virtue, abstrationsof peace so strongly. It resents such mess, candour, and honour are the stock the latter, awaking suddenly, discovered talk as likely to indeare that Germany phases with which Americans are the thief in the set. is exhausted by war and likely to stuffed on every possible occasion. damage German credit with neutral In any case, the people of Germany nations. The Kölnische Zeitung go's need not bother themselves in the on to say: "Despite all friendliness least about what the Americans think toward America, Germans must not or say as long as the German arms allow themselves to be deceived, and win. That is all that matters, must recognize that America cannot the American is a thorough opportunist and never has any sympathy Britain and Germany. American with the side that is beaten."

COLONIAL APPOINTMENTS.

His Excellency the Govern r has made able to repose in a Power which the following appointments : +. Mr. S. B. B. McElderry to be a member

of the Board of Examiners and a member of the sub-committee for the examination of subordinate officers of the police and gaed in English, Chinese and Handustini. Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar, Hengkong Volunteer Reserve, to be second Liquiemant. Mr. Thomas Henry King to act as Supt.

of Imports and Exports during the absence on leave of Mr. R. O. Hutchison or until urther notice,

BRITISH CARGOES AT TSINGTAU.

The "following Foreign Office notification which appeared in the "London cinzenter of the 6th January, is publishfavour of England, and states that of oin the "Hougkong Government his is clearly shown in the way that Gazete " for general information :---With reference to the notification which appeared in the "Loudon Gazette" of December 11th, His Majesty's Ambassudor at Tokjo telegraphs that the followconstantly strengthen the military ing tierman ships are believed to have ht To ngtao prior to the establish

ment of the blockade, viz.:-· Markomannin, ·

"O. J. D. Ahlers," " Lieuverneur Jaeschke."

" C. Ferd Laiesz," (b) "Albenga," "Loongmoon,"

"Siding," and " latung." London Times from the Kölnische harbour :-The following vessels were sunk in the

" Durendart,"

" Ellen Rickmers," "Michael Jebsen." Hull lists of British property at Kinoshow are, it is understood, now at the

attacks upon Germany, abuse" of the head-quarters of the Japanese Army at Emperor, and insulting pictures, has Tsingtee, and it is recommended that hardly been surpassed by the dirtiest claimants in respect thereof should now forward documentary evidence in support of their claims in duplicate, under flying coal, to His Majesty's Consul at Tsinnplu. however highly we may honour a for presentation to the headquarters of respectable minority, have found the Japanese Army at Tsington.

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MEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

On the back page of this issue will tound some interesting news items.

No Chinese immigrants arrived a in America," says that public opinion | Singapore last month. In January 1914, 19,088 arrived.

> A revised list of maximum food prices is published in the correct issue of the 9 Hongkong Government Gazette."

of crange peel in Girden Road yesterday and was taken to the Hospital suffering Edkins, C. S. Gubbay, P. H. Holyonke, from injuries to his hands and logs.

The Bishop of Victoria is aunounced to preach at St John's Cathedral tomorrow at 5.45 p.m. He will conduct a meeting for intercession open to all at St. Paul's College at S pimisson Monday

Believing that he was taking quinine, the Government Civil Hospital. His contheir head Andrew Carnegie, who has addition it not serious and he is making

> The charges against an Indian sorgeant in the Royal Nacal Yard Colice, two watchmon, and two other Indians brought from Singapore, of stealing Admiralty stores from naval ships out of commission has been fixed for Friday.

Miss Dudley, 46 Lyndburst Terrace, yesterday entrusted to her boy a cheque for \$151 which she ordered him to cosh. country as the 'Prince of Peace" and The boy cashed the chaque but did not return with the meney, he having ap-

> The rates of premium on halls under the British Grovenment War Risks Scheme were reduced on December 17 from £1 per cent, to 15'- per cent, for a voyage, and from 12 per cent to 30, per cent. for a round voyage, or for a time policy for three maths The rates of premium for cargo was reduced on December 31 from a guineaa el a half to one guines per cent.

A Chinese boy, who admitted to Mr. Haz-land he had been to jail on two previous occasions, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment for stealing a watch occupant, a ship's officer, was asleep, and

house at 180 Des Veoux Road Central with your approval. We have steadily yesterday, was sentenced to three months' strengthened our reserves and it has During the examination of the premises, with the object of ascertaining whether or not any persons were in the house, the defendant saws roll of money on a table and put it in his pocket. He was reported by another luxong who was also on duty

Early this morning the godown rented by Messrs. D. H. Cooper & Co. at 112 Praya East was found to be on fire. The alarm was given to the Brigade, who responded promptly and with the help of the Police extinguished the outbreak. The damage done was elight only a quantity of many we shall, in many instance, probdried figs having been ispoilt by fire and ably have to wait until the conclusion water. How the fire occured is a mystery of the war, before a settlement can be but it is thought a lighted cigarette end or a spark from a watchman's pipe might be office, beyond receiving a balance sheet responsible for the occurrence.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Capt. J. E. Munby, K.O.Y.L I., has been appointed Erigade Major.

Major Walface, R.G.A., entertained Hongkong Hotel Instrevening, and afterwards to a dance.

Conductor H. Chamberlain, A.O.C. formerly chief clerk to the Chief Ordnanco Officer, Honglong, has been promoted Assistant Commissory of Ordnance with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Conductor H. Spillar, recently of the Tientsin garrison, line received a similar promotion.

The Pertuguese community and official circles have learned with regret of the resignation of Mr. J. J. Leiris, Consul for Portugal and Consul for Brazil in Honga og. For eight years Mr. Loiria bas held his present post under the Portuguese Government, and for six years previous to that was Vice-Consul. Mr. J. C. de | Obaldia, Consul i r Panama, and acting | War Loan at 95) at exchange of 1/91 Consul for Guatemala, will take over both appointmosts.

DIOCESAN SCHOOL REUNION.

revival of the annual resunion, which loyally in your futerests. (Applause,) latterly has been allowed to lapse, a smoking concert was arranged for last able manner in which Mr. A. G. Stephen signs of recovery, and since October there to join with him in a most cordial vote of evening at the school. About seventy old controlled the uffices of the Bunk whilst has been a strong demand from Europe and thanks to the Court of Dir ctor, the chief sideration that while, upon the whole, ET rid of every cold as quickly as your going tours as your going tours available to cope with the poosed ager the sustained with the poosed ager the poosed ager the sustained with the po revived and old associations renewed. Suits Mr. Stephen required by expect a corresponding movement, in six months, and for the satisfactory results. Those who contributed to the musical our Shangani Branch at the beginning of imports, and there is therefore reason to achieved therefore (applicate).

HONGKONG AND SHANG. HAI BANK.

PROSPECTS IN CHINA.

Chairman's Optimistic Ylow.

thareholders in the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation was held at the tilty Hall at noon to-day. Hon, Mr. also present:-Meases, W. L. Pattondon London, E.C. (deputy chairman), N. J. Stabb "(chief) Ino rair win on concine and the managor) .. S. H. Dodwoll, G. T. M. manufactures.

J. A. Plummer, Hou. Mr. E. "Shellim (directors), Dr. J. H. Sanders, Hon. Mr. E. A. Howett, C.M.G., Mosers, H. C Sandford, W. R. P. Thursfield, G. Towns, F. H. Thomas, W. Inglis, G. G. S. Forsyth, W. Dunbar, T. F. Hough, F. B. L. Bowley, A. Findley Smith. Busing Foo, G. Piercey, C. Pemberton, P. C. Alcherch yesterday drank a quantity J. Harrop, W. E. Clarke, H. Percy of carbolic acid solution. He was sent to Smith, F. Maitland, Chau Siu Ki, Ho Lowis, and A. E. Griffin,

convening the meeting.

of war, your Directors were able to lay months, but the general situation at that time made our prospects for the balanceof the year look far from favourable. It is therefore very pleasant to meet you on this occasion with the satisfactory result especially as these are times when full dividends are appreciated. The distribufollows:-Dividend .42 3/- per share,

Bonus 5/- per share, subject to deduction of income tax. The dividend and bonus absorb £288,000 at 1/91= \$8,271,952.66 leaving a balance \$2,607,274.51, which it is proposed to burry forward to the current year, being some \$518,000 in excess of the amount accounts, so our position is a strong one. Up to the present the ascertained

intermed and captured steamers, etc. bank premises a/c. However in nearly all cases the firms majority of the bills will doubtless be met in due course when questions. with regard to insurance, release of eargoes etc., have been decided; though, where bills are drawn by and on firms in Gereffected. With regard to our Hamburg and profit and loss account for their half year to 31st October, we have no information concerning business matters there. but no doubt the interests of British banks in Germany are being safe guarded in the same manuer as those of German banks in London. Until the cituation is clearer I therefore think it advisable, as recommended on the present occasion, to about thirty friends at dinner at the hald surplus profits to the amount carried forward, as extra provision against war contingencies. You will notice from the report that sterling reserve fund investments have been written down to market in the £330,000-three per cent. Exchequer statement. No change has been made of the 3; per cent. War Loun, making the total \$466,500 written down ments, viz: £33.250 (£35,000 8} per cent amounted to \$377,751.47 which was inet.

opinion of your Directors that the Bank has been well served by its staff during the push year and approve of our action, Cur can revenue for 1914 shows a net be freelected to the Cou t of Dir ctors. by o'd boys of the Diocesan School for the |-they have one and all worked well and about Tla. 5,000,000 below that of the seconded by Mr. Dunbar, Mentin, J. W. C. I would specially like to mention the trade, particularly in exports, is showing Hon. Mr. Howert saked the sharthildors

do, but the effect is murvellous, bursale | 700, A. J. Mackie, S. Jex., W. Hall and our Chief Manager. In connection with i prove to be only tomporary. The east staff and him elf briefly acknowledged the the staff it may not be out of place to revenue collection for the same period, compliment.

BRITISH MANUFAC-TURER'S ENTERPRISE

The Board of Trade will hold a British Trade Fair at the Agricultural Hall, London, from May 18th to June Lit of samples of British manufactures exhibit-The ordinary half yearly meeting of ed by manufacturers limited to toys, fancy goods; curthenware, glassware, outlery, electro-plate, clocks, common jawellery, paper and stationery. Buyurs going to the Fair should communicate on David Landale, Chairman of the Court arrival direct with the Board of Trade. of Directors, presided, and there were British Industries Fair, 32 Cheapside,

n Indian constable slipped on a piece manager). A. C. Haynes (acting sub object is to place contracts for British

mention that a very large percentage of the foreign staff in London (numbering in all over fifty men) that is the men who are training there for our Eastern Service, have been granted leave of absence to serve their Country during the period of the war. (Applause.) Many in accordance with the terms of the of the Eastern sand also applied for leave Reorganisation Loan agreement, stands at of absence to volunteer and I regret it the unprecedented figure of Shanghai; The.
was necessary to refuse all such applientations chargeable upon Kom Tong, Chan Kai Ming, G. H. Potts, tions as the men could not be spared the Salt Revenue (excluding that of the Ellis Kadoorie, P. K. Kwok, H. W. without seriously interfering with the Reorganisation Lose) and after contribut-Looker, G. K. Haxton, K. D. Gazdar, efficient working of the Bank. Turning ing Tla. 9,85 100 to the service of the A. V. Hogg, Ho Fook, Lo Cheung Shiu, to the statement of accounts, though Ho Wing, A. J. P. Pumirett, A. Redger, there are no changes of marked import- free use of the Chinese Government, and I. N. Loufe, C. W. Berwick, J. W. C. ance, I shall refer briefly to a few figures an amount of Tla. 12,500,000 is left with Honnar, H. C. Gray, J. R. Greaves, D. I which may be of interest. Silver fixed the Group Banks to be carried forward to Macdonald, F. J. Burrett, D. H. Silas, deposits and current accounts stand at C. C. F. Cunningham, Dr. F. O. Sted- about \$2104 millions compared with man, Messrs, G. C. Moxon, Chan King \$2021 millions on 30th June and \$1951 Yue, T. E. Pearce, S. D. Setna, D. J. millions on 31st December, 1913. Fixed deposits and current accounts in gold at The Chief Manager read the notice £104 millions are £100,000 lower than in record, and are \$21 millions above those

1 June last and £450,000 higher than The Chairman said: At the meeting, year ago. Notes in circulation amount in August last, shortly after the outbreak to \$27,247,000, the highest figures on before you an excellent report upon the of Illst December, 1919. On the other working of the Hank for the previous six side of the account, cash, coin ledged with the Hongkong Government accour note issue and bullion in hand and transit, taken together, amount \$97,400,000 against \$804 millions June and \$70 millions as the end shown in the report now in your hands, 1913. Colonial and other securities. have been increased during the months by the addition of £215,000 tion of the profits recommended is as of the 31 per cent. War Ioan, the Bank baxing been allotted in all £250,000 of this loan, £35,000 of which, as already mentioned, was placed with sterling reserve is a matter which will receive the earnest Fund Investments. Bills receivable at attention of the Chinese Government at an Stat millions are slightly higher than on uniform currency throughout China would both the previous occasions-this is not due to increased trade but to extensions brought in from the last account. Al. under the Moratorium, which did not end of settlement in August last, there will, though the outlook is still obscure and until 4th October, consequently a number in future, be only annual meetings, so it is a time when conservative policies of extended Bills were still running when should be adopted with regard to the our London office tooks were closed at the allocation of profits, your Directors feel and of that month. For a similar reason The Chinese constable, charged with fully justified in recommending the above liability on bills of Exchange rediscounted stealing a roll of money from a burning distribution and trust that it will meet at £11,584 000 is higher than usual, but of this amount £9,220,000 has since the year. I feel sure there is no one here imprisonment by Mr. Hazeland to day, always been the policy of the Bank to run off. Bank premises a/c shows only who does not join me in the carnest hope

make liberal provision for all doubtful a slight increase on the previous Europe will have arrived at a stage that figures after allowing for the \$4 lacs written | will admit of peace negotiations between off i at half year. There has however been losses incurred owing to the war have the final payments for our London building been very small, but there are still out. to mast, some £25,000-this was about adoption of the report and accounts as standing contingencies in connection | balanced by returns from our property for

with hills drawn against shipments on the year, which went direct to credit of There is still expenditure ahead of us for responsible are of standing and the the building in course of construction at at Hankow, which it has been decided to erect owing to the growing importance of that place and the inadequacy of our present premises. The cost of these two build ings will be in the neighbourhood of 810 lace During the past six months every interest subordinated by the terrible struggle going is over, half a million on in Europe. The actual course of events, more prices ruling at the end of the year. Our this direction in the future. In the case of hostilities in Europe, and it is very holding of £1,200,000 consols, now stands of the London market, thanks to the satisfactory to have an assurance from the emergency, normal conditions may be said accounts will ultimately be settled without to have been practically restored, and there heavy losses. However, we all realise there Bonds as the book value of 93 is well s now an abundance of cheap money for must necessarily be uncertainly about such below quoted price. To replace the the ordinary requirements of trade. An matters until the War is over. I am shrinkage in value of our consols of regards China, accustomed to rely largely sure we were all glad to hear upon foreign capital for carrying out of the generous acknowledgment made 130,000 and bring Other sterling har schemes of reform, and dependent by the Chairman of the services of securities" down to market value, we for the service of her external debt Mr. Stephen and the staff generalhave increased the amount under the on the revenues derived from foreign by during the anxious period through which lutter heading by the addition of £35,000 trade, a natural anxiety was felr, the Bank, passed immediately after the not only by her friends, but by the Chinese outbreak of war, which I feel au e all Government it elf, at the new situation shareholders most cordially ouderse. We which it was suddenly called upon to face. feel that our interests are in good hands 12371,100. The cost of the above adjust. It was faced, however, and mat in a way and that we can confidently rely on the that cannot but increase the public con- Court of Directors, the Chief Manager and fidnoce in China's credit and immense Staff generally to ensure the continued bitality. The service of the foreign debt has, prosperity of the Bank in spite of the great in fact, been punctually met, order prevails incertainty the future holds for us all out of the half year's profits. Gentle- throughout the country, the Government (applance). men. I feel sure you will endorso the gives increased evidence of permanence and stability, and China enters open the year 1915 . Mr. Findley Smith proposed, Mr. Hough with a financial position actually atronger | seconded and it was unanimonals agreed that

ARRESTED BY INDIAN POLICE.

ESCAPED GERMANS

CAUGHT,

The three Germans,-Rahrs, Rudisch, and Stark, who escaped from the prisoners of war camp at Kowloin on Wednesday night, were arrested at rine o'cl ck last uight at Chaung Shu T.n. midway between Taipo and Shelln, on the man read.

The axrest was made by an Indian police sergeant and an Indian constable, who found the men wandering about nimbersly in the dark. One of the prisoners, who speaks English very well, tried to p raunde the policemen that he and his companions were not to be bluffed. The men went quietly to Taipo police station, where they were glad to get a medi. All five have now been accounted for,

One was aught as he was leaving the camp and another was arrested Thursday at Sheung Shui.

paid into the Boxer indemnity, a sum of no less than the present year. The administration, as at present constituted, is herely eighteen months old, and its reforms have so far simed at little more than the proper collection of the tax, with the minimum of disturbance to the existing system! As further referant are introduced, and make their effect felt in the remoter Provinces, there can be no doubt that this revenue, with all its advantages of stability, will become one of the greatest national assets of China. T understand the Chinese Government is now seriously turning its attention to the question of the ruf rm of the land tax. No measure could be more timely or better calculated to still further consolidate Chira's financial position: and, formidable as the task may at first sight-appear, I believe that its difficulties, will prove to be largely enaggerated once the matter is taken seriously in hand. A well administtered land tax would fall lightly on the individual but in the aggregate prove a considerable national asset. i cannot close my remarks without referring to a very urgent reform that is required in China, and that is the cur. ency. Referenceshave been made to it from this shair on many occasions in the past, and I trust it. early date. There can be no doubt that a be of inestimable benefit to the trade of the country. Gentlemen, as you are aware, by the alteration made in our deed your chairman will not have the pleasure of addressing you again until next February. Interim dividends" when results permit, will be declared at the end of the first half of the year but no balance sheet will be published until the final accounts are made up at the end of the Nations upon a lasting basis which will secure the world from war for many years te come. (Applease). Before moving the presented, I shall be pleased to soswer any questions you may put to the Chair, Hon. Mr. E. A. Hewett C. M.G., second-

ing, raid :--The address which we have just listened to has covered so thoroughly all the main points as to the position of the Bank and Kuala Lumpur, and also for a new building all matters relating to the trace with which we are concerned, that little remains for me to say before seconding the resolutions now before this meeting. It is very satisfactory to find that the Directors are able to recommend the payment of a full dividend nne bonus, and this while making full provision for all losses incurred, doubtful debts and shrinkage of values in all securiand consideration of normal times has been ties; while the balance carried forward than that of sho. It is an occasion such as this, when however, so far as they have affected the practically half the world is engaged in the credit and commerce of the world enable most gigantic struggle, which has everus, perhaps, to take a calmer and more taken place, that we fully appreciate the hopeful view of the situation than when we sound policy which has been followed up last met. Although trade generally was so many years by those who watch over necessarily groatly disorganised and con- the destiny, of the Bunk in carationaly sequently restricted for some months after building up an adequate reserve and the outbreak of war, business conditions, writing down the values of the Bank's at any rate in the majority of those securies and property. This is chiefly countries in which we as a Bank are interest- demonstrated by the relatively small sum ed, are I amglad to say, assuming a more nor. which has had to be provided out of current mal state. It is encouraging to note that in | revenue in order to usake up the shrinkage many instances the dislocation of the usual in securities during the past six months. trade channels for China produce has led We have all no doubt heard a good deal to new outlets being found-a fact which said about the possible lesses which might angues well for important developments in be entailed through the sedden outbreak prompt and wise measures, taken by the chair that up to the present these are small British Government to meet an unparalleled and that it is hoped further outstanding

The motion was unanimously carried. than that before the War. The Maritime Mesers. C. S. Gubb yand J. A. Poummer In response to a general desire expressed in voting a 10 per cent. bonus on salarins collection of Shanghai Tlr. 39,000 000 or On the proposition of Mr. Bowley.

previous year, which was a record, Bonnar and F. Maitland were reen; pointed

as already mentioned however, Foreign anditors.

programme included Mesers. L. G. Suther- November for the return of Mr. Stabb. Costoms Revenue referred to above, will and the Chief Manager on behalf of the

BY TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE WAR.

LATEST BULLETIN FROM SIR JOHN FRENCH

ANOTHER ZEPPELIN WRECKED

FIELD MARSHAL FRENCA'S LATEST BULLETIN.

SUCCESSFUL BRITISH ENCOUNTERS.

Losbox, Feb. 19, 2.5 p.nil. The Press Bureau has issued a bulletin from Field Marshal Sir John French, in which he states that the enemy has displayed considerable activity during the past few days to the south-east of Ypres and that the fighting there has sometimes been severe.

At one or two points the enemy succeeded in occupying some of our tronches, but he was driven but by counter-attacks.

Sixty Cerman dead at one place were left oh the ground. We blew up a German trench and took a number of prisoners. Our troops counter-attacked with great gallantry despite the water-logged toyo. ground and trenches.

The Germans made a night attack on the 15th inst. at Yppes Canal and on the following night a similar attack near Neuve Chappelle. Both attacks were easily repulsed with loss to the enemy.

All the ground, we recently gained has been strengthened and held without difficulty. Our artillery to the south of the Lys effectively dealt with the

Corman chatteries and our aeroplanes, in valuable reconnaissances, successfully engaged the enemy, a Briton attacking two Germans, which resulted in the destruction of a German aeroplane.

A TIMELY GOVERNMENT PROPOSAL

(Official Telegram from the British Foreign Office.)

LONDON, Feb. 18, 6,40 p.m. The Board of Trade announce, that arrangements have been completed under which compensation will be payable in case of all persons employed in any capacity on board British merchant ships who may be injured owing to hostilities. The arrangement also applies to fishing vessels insured under a wovernment scheme which is being continued for a further period of 3 months at a reduced rate of premiums.

"BUSINESS 'JETE' GERMAN SUBMARINES DEFIED.

LONDON, Feb. 19, 12,20 a.m British liners, including large trans-Atlantic liners, are arriving in ports Aying the British flag.

WRECK OF A ZEPPELIN.

- 5 London, Feb. 19. A telegram from Copenhagen says that eleven Germans appeared on Wednesday night at Blaavarid, on the west coast of Jurland, and pretended they were fishermen whose craft had been wrecked by a mine. They were exhibited before a Mugistrate, and admitted that they belonged to a Zeppelin which had drifted out to sea in a storia. Four of their comrades were missing, and were presumed to be abourd. The men claimed to be treated as ship-wrecked men, but they were interned. The Commander was Count Platen.

This is believed to be the second Zeppelin wrecked.

HOLLAND PRESENTS A NOTE TO GERMANY,

London, Feb. 19, 11.30 a.m. Holland has presented a Note to Germany which says that the British misuse, of neutral dags does not diminish the responsibility of Germany, since belligerents cannot evade the duty of examination before seizing or destroying a ship. In the event of mistakes it is indicated to Germany that the Dutch Government will reserve all rights, notably the right: to complete compensation.

In the Note to Great Britain the Dutch Government says it expects the British Government not to sanction the misuse of a neutral flag, which is contrary to Dutch law, and exposes Dutch merchantmen to the perils [

THE DETERMINATION OF FRANCE.

LONDON, Feb. 19, 12.20 p.m. A telegram from Paris save that M. Viviani, the Premier, eloquently ret the title role, M. Mauceri was the affirmed the determination of France to continue the war"to the end in conjunction with the Allies. All knew, he said, that the triumph of Germany tine," Mile. Visoni "Sieb-1" and Mile. Imperialism meant the death of liberty.

BELGRADE BOMBARDED

SERBIANS ATTACK SEMLIN.

LONDON, Feb. 19. A telegram from Belgrade says that the Austrians have heavily Eom- beau fully interpreted by barded the city." Houses were wrecked, and many people were killed and injured. The Serbians replied by bombarding Semlin.

FURTHER SUCCESSFUL OPERATIONS.

LONDON, Feb. 19.

.The Paris evening communique saya:-2-Thursday has been no less favourable to us than the two previous days. Between the sea and the Nisne there were artillery engagements.

The Germane delivered five counter-attacks near Roclincourt in order t re-take trenches which we had suptured on Wednesday. All attacks were re- kong pulsed. The enemy abandoned several bundred dead, including several officers. evening. In Champagne the enemy delivered two very violent counter-attacks along the whole front in the region of Squain, Perthes, and Beau Sejour, the first being made during the night and the second in the morning, in an endeavour to re-take trenches lost on the 16th and 17th inst. Both were repulsed by the bayonet." We captured three mitrailleners and several hundred prisoners, who stated that some Regiments had lost a fourth, and others a half of their effectives. In Larraina we attacked in the Xon district, captured the village of Norroy,

and occupied the whole position, In Alsney it was ascertained that at Lepiton, south of Sudelie, a farm English captured, by us on Wednesday constituted a formidable redoubt. We captured a trench mortar, five mitrailleuses, hundreds of rifles, shields, hombs, telephones barbed wires, and thousands of cartridges in sacks in the earth.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON'S NARROW ESCAPE.

London, Feb. 19. Sir Thomas Lipton had a narrow escape during the hombardment of Belgrade. He was diving in the streets when a shell fell within 20 yards of him.

THE UBIQUITOUS KAISER.

LONDON, Feb. 19, 5.25 n.m. The Corenhagen correspondent of the Daily Mail save that the Kaiser with Prince Henry of Prussia, Grand'Admiral von Tirpitz, and their stalls, wen 50 Wilhelmsbaven and Heligoland on Thursday

BY TELEGRAPH.

THOUSANDS DEMONSTRATE OUTSIDE PARLIAMENT.

LONDON, Feb. 19. A meson to from Rome says that the Chamber of Deputies has been re-opened. A crowd numbering thousands demonstrated in favour of war, and tried to attack the Austrian Embassy. The crowd was dispersed by troops."

RHEIMS AGAIN BOMBARDED.

LONDON, Feb. 19, Germans have again bombarded Rheims, and a shell struck the Cathedral. BRITISH OFFICER'S GALLANTRY.

Awarded The Military Cross.

LONDON, Feb. 19. Lieutenant Lionol Musson, of the Manshester Regiment, has been awarded the Military Cross. Though severely wounded, he attacked with a few men a German patrol in German East Africa on the 20th December, only one Ferman escaping. ,,

THE FIGHTING IN THE EASTERN THEATRE RUSSIAN REYERSES.

London, Feb. 19, 3.40 a.m.

A Petrograd communique says: ---Stubborn fighting took place on Wednesday in the region of Augus-, and on the Serpec-Plonsk roads.

There was no fighting on the left bank of the Vistula. We repulsed obstinate German and Austrian attacks in the Carpathians, and counter-attacked successfully, Our detachments in Bukhovina retired across the Pruth.

AUSTRIANS OCCUPY CZERNOWITZ.

 Lostion, Feb. 19, 5.25 a.m. a. An Austrian Communique armounces the occupation of Czernowitz on Wednesday, the Russians retreating in the direction of Nosowosielitna.

HONOURS FOR DISTINGUISHED BRITISH SOLDIERS.

K.C.B. FOR LIEUT.-GENERAL ANDERSON.

London, Feb. 18, 940 p.m.

The London Gracite to-night contains 22 pages of His Majesty's rewards for services in the field. The pretty tions include: --

Major-General H. H. Wilson to be temporary Lieut.-General. The following Colonels are created Major-Generals: -W. Congreve. , Kavanagh, J. Heidlam, H. F. Mercer, B. Doran, G. F. Milne, S. R. Rice, F. M. Glubb, H. de Lisle, C. J. Briggs, Count Gleichen, J. Ducane, Hon, C. Bingham, Barrardiston, and Davies, of the New Zealand Staff.

KNIGHT COMMANDERS OF THE ORDER OF THE BATH (R.C.R.). Licut.-General U. A. Anderson, C.B. (formerly General Officer, Com-

manding in Hongkong). Lieut.-General Sir Charles Ferguson, C.B., M.V.O.

Surgeon-General Sloggett. Major-General F. S. Robb, C.B., M.V.O.

Major-General Sir H. S. Rawlinson, C.B., C.V.O.

Major-General Maxwell. Major-General E. H. H. Allenby, C.B.

Major-General C. C. Mouro, C.R.

Major-General Sir W. R. Robertson, K.C.V.O., C.B., D.S.O. Major-General Lindsay.

KNIGHT COMMANDERS OF ST. MICHAEL AND ST. GEORGE (K.C.M.G.).

Major-General Julian Byng. Major-General F. T. Clayton, C.B.

Major-General Sir Archibald Murney, K.C.B.

Major-General Capper.

The tiazette also contains large numbers of promotions, appointments to be Companions of the Order of the Bath and of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, Distinguished Service Orders, Distinguished Service Medal, Military" Crosses, etc., including all arms and all ranks; and also a number of awards and promotions in the Indian Corps.

THE ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.

This excellent Company produced Gounod's immortal "Faust" at the

Theatre Royal last night before a very large audience. M. Dagradi appeared in "Mephistopheles." M. Scamuzzi "Valen-Gonsalez as the fair "Marguerite." such splendid artistes in the caste, it seems superfluous to say that the opera was from beginning to end a great success. story of the aged philosopher and alchemist. rejuvenated by Mephistopheles, and of the heartrending misfortunes of the gentle Marguerite, blending so exquisitely with Gounod's immortal music, was and chorus slike. Mile. gave a fine performance of her part, M. Dagradi's Faust was also very satisfactory, while M. Maucori and M. Scamuzzi in Their respective parts achieved a really great artistic triumph. Mention should also be made of Mile. Piccolo's " Marthe" which was also a very creditable performance. M. Scamuzzi's singing of the enchanting lyric "Even bravest Hearts." and the "Soldier's Chorus" by the male voices of the chorus were among the most

enjoyable items of the evening. To-night the Company produce "Carmen." To-morrow they visit Macan and granted bettermunces, returning to Hons to play. " Mignon " on "Monday

ENGLISH AS IT MAY BE.

The agent for some local property sends the "Singapore Free Press" the following choice example of better than Balu

Dear Sir .- I have the honour to inform you that you will be philanthropist en ugh to come and repair six of the house window and some broken door, as the Municipal give me too much trouble. I sentiment highly that you will be benignant enough not to forgot in this affair. Nothing more particular to add. Trusting you are in anticipation .- Yours affectionate

TICKLING IN THE THROAT.

INVEN the slightest tickling or hoursaness Limin the throse may be the foregunger of a danger us illness. Stop it at once with it is such a simple thing to step into a Charberlain's Cough Remedy. For sale chemist's shop and get a bottle of Chamber. by all Chemie's and Ftorekeepers.

FIVE YEARS FOR ROBBERY Police Complimented.

At the adjourned Criminal Sessions this morning before the Puisne Judge and a 2.51.1, 31.1. The Duke Duhlia's perjury the trial of To Hoi, a m ddle aged man, on a charge of being concerned in the commission of an armed robbery at Mong Kok Chan was concluded.

The jury found the prisoner guilty, and oin passing sentence of five years' hard labour Mr. Justice Gampertz said only the man's age layed him from undergoing a whipping as well, His Lordship highly complimented Set. Jockey Club to-day:-Brown, who was concerned in the case. remarking that he was an intelligent and active officer. He also complimented the other police concerned for the way they hand led the case.

ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

The Hon. Tressurer of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following denations to the funds of the Hospitals :-Jardine, Matheson & Co.....\$100

	A. F. Aronili V	25
	Thoreson & Co	25
	W. Murray Scott	20
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DON'T COUGH,

I is absurd to allow a cough to hang on and and your vitality when Chamber. lain's Cough Remedy will cure you. You don't know where a porsistent cough will land you. You can't afford to allow your throat and lungs to become diseased when lain's Cough Remedy. For sale by all Chemist and Storekeepers.

TRAINING NOTES.

The course was on the slow side early this morning after the heavy dew overnight, but considerably improved under a warm, drying sun as the morning were on, and was quite good going and fast by half post eight and nine o'clock.

The sympathy of all true lovers of the 'King of Sports" will go out to those connected with "Sammie," the little roan auction-griffin pony that went lame present government. The soldiers are after his "ounstors" on Friday morning better trained, and the officials are more after his " quarters " on Friday morning. This pony was coming on nicely and had masses. quite a chance of picking up one of the minor races before the meeting was over. Coronet and Swanco, the two which were reported "dicky" some time ago, are its support. The Magistrate at Wang now apparently perfectly fit again and Ngen City is from Shanghai, where he was both put up fairly decent gallops this His daughters were educated in Western morning.

us what he could do. He finished very games and strong; some timing his last do something to make this possible. quarter as inside 30, but probably 31 wha nearer the mark. Wild Cab put in a dashing finish in 20.3, but the other quarters were slow; 37, 40.2, 54.3, 30.3 = 2.21.2. Fijian Chief was taken easily as usual, on the sand, accompanied Roman Chief. Bluebottle was going short and stiff. This pony flore not inprove; rather the reverse. Gamester covered a mile in 2.10, but the civic of his finish was not first class. A mile is point. These people are seeking to do probably his limit, but he is sure to prove a rattler over that distance. Aldwyth as usual put up a govd performance, but their financial support; which give much was not ridden unt. Implied also hopefulness to the movement. moved well. Dreadnought Dahlia does not give the appearance that he is going the pace he does, but 2.49.4, last half 1.04, last quarter 20.4 must be considered un exceptionally good gallop. He will be hard to best over the long distance races English Chief and Irish Chief wont half a mile together in 32.1, 39.8; the former held while the latter was hard ridden. The same applied to the Genis; the ' mary-support" was going easy down the home straight while the sub, had to be driven along to keep up. Lochmaber did a very nice gailing over h mile; 34.2. 34.3. 34.3. 30.1 = 2.13.4. It was not the time to much as the style in which her moved and the way he answered when asked to make his offers down the home straight. Thurleston was only taken over a half, but he does not seem to finish as gamely us he did as week or so ago. Sir Calidore finished poorly, but the time was good, 2.16.4, last quarter 31. Winning Hazard with Mr. Moller up went very well, 2.15.3 last quarter 31.1. We, shall probably hear of him on the second or third day. Ideal Dahlia ensity. beat Flame Dahlia; it was the other way mound about a fortnight ago. Majestio Dahlia did good time, but again he finished as if he did not like it. In remains

to be seen, whether he will go the pace and "stick" it in company. Coronet finished tired after going a mile. Since going a bit "dicky" he has not yet got back into form. He will probably be at his best on the third day. Thief's performance was the "star." gallop of the morning. His three quarters in 1.25.4 last quarter 29.3 dubs him the best is the auction griffins and he should securemore than one win during the meeting. Perfection Dahlia is a " class " pony and goes in good style. Lust half in 1.04, last quarter 30-4 of a mile and a quarter in 2.45.2 should qualify him to start in the Derby. Maybey with Mr. Seth up did a very nice gallop, 2.12.2, last quarter 31.2, finishing nicely but not unduly pressed. Liberty Dahlia finished tired;

yet given over more than a mile. The way he covered the Chumpions distance and his finish pleased his connection. Jed appeared to be going short, but his time was good; 2.17.4, last quarter 31.4. The following notice was issued by the Entry omitted in the Race Book :-Fourth Race on Second Day .- The Sub-

formance was, perhaps, the best he has

scription Griffins' Challenge Cup. No. 20 Mr. Billiards' d. Winning Hazard 13.0 10.12. Green, straw sleeves, red cap. To-day's times will be found, as usual,

The following are some tipe for Mondny's racing!-- 🗆

THE WONG-NEI-CHONG STAKES :-Tinker. Dunin.

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(By Our Oven Correspondents)

CHISESE NEW YEAR.

The Chinese in this section observed the old year as though no change had ever been made. In husiness and in their worship and coremonials there are no signs of change. There seems to be less roblery and a generally improved condition in the peace of the country under the

roncerned about the betterment of the The Mandarin at Ying tak is from Fir Kin province and shows much concorn about the welfare of his people. In start. ing a bookstore and reading room for the public he was the first one to subscribe for actively engaged in reform movements. schools, and he means to help in starting Mascotte was the first today to show The officials here are anxious for their people to have some of the material bless. ings of modern life, and they are willing to

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"Recently representatives of the Baptist churches throughout this missionary district met at Ying-tak and considered the question of industrial education. It was a most enthusiastic meeting, in which they agreed to press this phase of their educational work with great vigor. The effort to see the masses seeking to throw off the burdens that have greatly bold of life's problems from a new viewthis, and the spirit by which they are animated means much for their success. Their plans are being backed heartily by

EARLY RAINS. The past two weeks of cloudy weather and rain makes us think the rainy season has come rather ourly this year, but the rains of the last six months have not followed the marked paths of former years.

THE FOOCHOW CEP!-Dreadrought Dahim, a Ampfield.

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THE PROPESSIONAL CUP :-"Liberty Dahlia. Sir Calidore. Mascritte.

THE JOCKEY CLUB CUP :--Sunstar Dahlia.

Neptune. THE RACING SPARKS :-Boroda Chier. Turzum.

Thurleston.

SPECIAL POLICE RESTRYE ... GENERAL ORDERS.

General Order (No. 1.)

Mr. F. C. Jenkin is appointed Assistant Superintendent of the Special Police

C. Ma I. Mensar. 19th Feb., 1915. Capt. Supt. of Polices

HUMPHREVS ESTATE AND FINANCE COMPANY.

The ordinary annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Humphreys Estates. and Finance Company, Ltd., was held this morning at the Hongkong Hotel. There were present: Mr. Henry Humphreys, is the chair, Messra J. Scott Hardon J. W. C. Bonnar, W. L. Pattenden, directors, G. Rapp secretary ; and the following shares holders : Mesers A. V. Apour, M. S. Northcote, A Shelton Hooper, C. B. Buyers, H. Percy Smith, D. E. Clask, F. W. Stapleton and Captain W. E. Clarke.

In proposing the adoption of the report and accounts the Chair man said : -

.The accounts for the year are not as Satisfactory as at one time they looked like beings the increase in revenue from rental being only 780247.17 as compared with was most hopeful. It is always gratifying 10125 This increase would have been somsiderably larger but for the War which broke out in August. "Amongst our tenants hampered their forefathers and take we numbered many military officers and Germans who from one cause of another had to vacate our houses suddenly with the result that during the last three months of the year many of our houses which under ordinary circumstances would have been rent producing, brought in nothing. Signs of improvement are now manifest, but it will probably be some time before normal conditions are reached. The increase to the Insurance Reserve Fund of \$2,655.40 is represented by expired fire risks underwritten by ourselves. Property accounts up \$49,442.84 the addition representing payments to contractors for new buildings

The building operations now in progress necessitated our burrowing more money on mortgages. You will find on comparing the accounts with those of last year that fleribeat 'mortgages' (by the company) shows increase of \$118,213 01 and that the item? 'mortgages it loste " (to the complay) has been reduced by \$38,041.01. The amounts together have mahled us to pay for the work dune during the year and reduce the amount owing under " specify creditors" by \$100,054,22," You will ness seites que our profit on sales of propessies is 33,883.04 as compared with \$12,423.04 in 1913. Other changes in the Accounts are not in my opinion of sufficient magnitude to call for any special commend from me but I shall be pleased before moving the adoption of the report and-

statement of accounts to answer-any questions Shareholders may have to ask. No questions being asked. Capt Clarke seconded the adoption of the accounter which was carried. The Chairman proposed the re-election f Messra, J. Scott Herston, J. W. O.

Bonnar, W. L. Pattenden and Dr. J. W. Noble to the directorate. Mr. A. V. Apcar seconded and it was The re-appointment of the auditors. Messrs. H. Percy Smith and C. Bernard

Brown at a remuneration of \$150 each way proposed by Mr. Northcote, seconded by Mr. Stapleton and carried." The Chairman announced that the dividend warrants were ready and could be had on application at the office.

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Hougkong, Feb 13, 1915.

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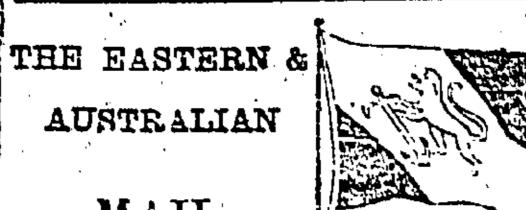
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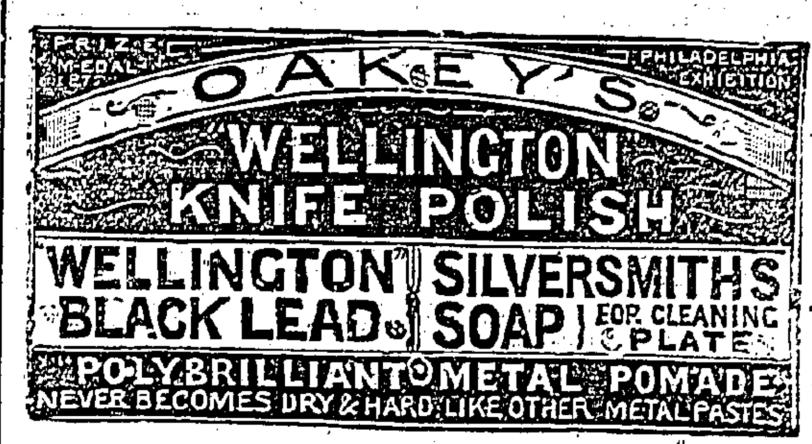
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Sabine Riskmers, Dutch steamer, 573, . Schmerman, Amoy Feb. 18, Ballasti-ASIATIC PETROLEUM Co.

February 20. St. Albans, British str., 2,538, E. B. S. Baikie, Melbourne Jan. 16, and Manila Fub. 17, General. - Gins, Livingston &

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Swatow February 19, General .- Douglas STEAMSHIP Co., LD. Chi Yuen, Chinese steamer, 1,177 Ross, Shanghai February 16, General.-C.

M. S. N. Co. Hue. French str., 746, A. Corneliussen, Haiphong and Kwong chow-wan Feb. 19, General .- A. R. MARTY. mexico Muru! Japanese str., 3,750, N

Kobayashi, Tacoma via Shanghai Feb. 17, General. - O. S. K. Tope Nuru. Japanese steamer, 3,610, Takano, Singapore Feb. 14, General.—N.

Passengers.

·~ AVELTED. Per Sungkiang, from Pakhoi. Mr Rodgers. Per St. Albans, trom Melbourne, &c., Capt. de Lima, Capt. Gregorio, Lt. Col. dos Neves, Mas N. Baley, Miss G. M. Eadie, Mr W. Walsh, Mr C. Martin, Mr and Mrs Angus, Mrs Hughes, The Misses Hill (2), Sergt. de Limos Sergt. de Albrou. Sergt. de Silva, Capt. Anselmo, Miss. Prudinger, Miss McDuff, Miss Newton. Mis Montgomery.

Per Haiman, from Swatow, Mr Stevens.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Sungking from Pakhoi reports : Moderate N.N.E. gale and heavy sea, cloudy and misty weather. The British steamer Kulgan from Bangkok reports : Moderate N.E'ly gales, strong S. W'ly with high seas, rough weather throughout.

The British steamer Kumchow from Saigon reports : Fine weather until yesterday, thou strong N.E. winds and high

The British steamer thing Chow from Saigon reports': Light monscon and smooth to Cape Varella and thence strong monsoon and high seas.

The British steamer Hungchow from Dalny reports: Moderate monsoon, high sea and clear weather. The British steamer Haimun from

Swatow reports : Light Northerly breeze, smooth sea, fine and clear weather. The Chinese steamer Chiyuen from Shanghai reports : btrong N.E. wind and fine weather to Turanbout; then light N'ly and S.E. winds and fine.

BEWARE OF COLDS.

MHILDREN are much more likely to Feb. contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are diseases that are often contracted when a child has a cold, That is why all medical authorities may beware of coids. For the quick one of colds you will find nothing hetter than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. The s.s. Shidmoka Maru with the Mail

from London (via Siberia) of Thursday, the 21st ult., is due to arrive here on Sunday, the 21st inst.

Mails will close for :-

SWATOW, AMOY & FORMOSA VIA Per Danjin Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 21st Feb.

HAIPHONG. Per Takeang, at 9 s.m., on Sunday, the , 21st Feb. SWATOW.

Per Haimun, at 8 a.m., on Sunday, the 21st Fob. SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Per Kaije Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, , the Dist Feb. SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. (Europe via Siberia).

Per Liangehore, at 9 a.m., on Sanday, the 21st Feb. (Tientsin-Pukow Railway Shanghai British P.O. on Thursday, 25th Feb.]

JAPAN Via KOBE. Per Surea Mari, at 9 a.m., on Sunday. the 21st Fyb.

SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CHERIBON SAMARANG & SOURABAYA. Per Hokute Starts, at 9 a.m., one Monday, the 22nd Feb. BANGKOK.

Per Phranang, at 10 a.m., on Monday, the 22nd Feb. SHANGHAI, NURTH CHINA, JAPAN

Via MOJI, VICTORIA & TACOMA. Per Seattle Maru, at 1 p.m., on Monday, the 22nd Feb.

WEIHAIWEI & TIENTSIN. Per Cheongshing, at 4 p.n., on Monday, the 22nd Fub.

SHANGHAL & NORTH CHINA. For Cheysany, at 4 p.m., on Monday, 22nd Feb. SHANGHAI, NOKTH CHINA

JAPAN Via MOJI. Per Cokehuma Maru, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd Feb. FORT BAYARD & HAIPHONG. For Mue, at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the

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23rd Feb. STRAITS & INDIA via CALOUTTA. For Fooksang, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd Feb. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per Sungkiang, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd Feb. TIMOR, AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA

NEW ZEALAND via PORT DAR WIN & NEW GUINEA via THURS-DAY ISLAND. Per Aldenham, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 24th Feb.

SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN Via NAGASAKI, HONOLULU,

U.S.A., SOUTH AMERICA via SAN FRANCISCO & UNITED

KINGDOM VIA CANADA. (Europe via Siberia). Per Shinyo Maru, Registration at 10 a.m. Letters at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, the 23rd Feb. Tientanu-i ukow Service Shanghai British

P. O. Friday, 26th Feb.] SPANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN via MOJI, UNITED SOUTH AMERICA Via VICTORIA. VANCOUVER & UNITED KING.

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P.O., Monday, 1st Mar.]

iF you happen to be late your meals will Le Courter sty and Promptly served

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ENGLANDEIN WAR TIME MEN IN THE MAKING AT WINDSOR AND ETON.

The Public School Spirit. Writing in The Times on the subject of England in Time of War a special

correspondent says:---To one looking up the walls of Windsor Castle it is difficult to remember that medern artillery could blow the mighty mand to dust in hulf an hour, and that the imprognable fortress of to-day is a little hole in the ground with some men of the right sert in it.

Such a hole in the ground may be seen from the railway carriage window in a plot of waste land between Slough and Windsor-and those who read this article to the close may perhaps be able to make a shrowd guess how it came there. Such exclusively men, made or still in the making, may be seen in large quantities about the streets of Windsor, " Windsor in the winter-is there a quieter place? Windcor still seems quiet to one who has seen Salisbury and Winchester; but a walk through Windser is enough to disabuse o-day is full of soldiers. One noticeable thing in these provincial towns is the lack of recruiting bills. Those ex hibited would reach a large total if they were counted; by comparison with the number and variety shown in London they are few and modest. Lord Kitchener does not point from shop windows Cutieura Song and Oferment sold everywhere. Sumple of each with 32-p. book free from nearest deput: Newbery, 27, Charterhouse Sq., London, R., Towns & Co., Hydney, N.S.W.: Lennon, Ltd., Capa monstrous finger (laughably like the savage Bulkan Officer who used to accuse Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., sole props., Boston, U.S.A. the London public of not having seen la certain comic opera); nor does the nation call in any but dignified terms for the services of its men of military age. When the war first broke out, you are To-day's Advertisements told in Windsor as elsewhere, recruiting bills were more frequent. Now the towns seem able to do their share without insistent urging. Windsor, with crack regiments always in her barracks, has always given freely of her men; and the MHE LOCAL BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of EXCHANGE long and growing list outside one of her Business on MONDAY, TUESDAY and churches seems to show that in the pro-WEDNESDAY the 22nd, 23rd and 34th sent crisis she and Eton are doing their part well. Perhaps, after all, there is no recruiting appeal so good as a living soldier, even when dressed in khaki. If it be so. Windsor needs no bills on the wall or in the window, - Many of her own sons are now far away, digging trenches TO LET.-2 SPACIOUS GODOWNS in Norfolk, or still further, earning their share in Sir John French's praise of

kindly a home, if only for a time, Windcor may be. MWO or Three Large OFFICE ROOMS THE NEW INDUSTRY. in Prince's Building, lift, electric -The men are bill ted upon the town: light and varsodah. Apply to the and their presence has called into being LIQUIDATORS " of Messre. SANDER, a new industry, the letting of rooms. 163 The War Office grants generous terms -terms which are said to fill the keepers of senside lodgings with envy. But it must be remembered that places like Windsor have not, so to speak, the plant for the industry standing idle, as have TIME DIVIDEND DECLARED for the the senside places in the winter, and must upset their homes and habits pretty 1914, at the rate of Two, Pounds three considerably in order to house the men. shillings Sterling together with a Bonus of And like many other towns (among them is payable on and after MONDAY the 22nd Slough, close at hand), Windsor does much for the men she likes to call her day of February, Current, at the Offices of the Corporation. where Shareholders guests" beyond what the War Office pays for. Princess Alexander of Teck and a committee of ladies have arranged the Corn Exchange and the reception room at the Guildhall as recreation rooms 164 for soldiers and non-commissioned officers, and very bright and cosy rooms they make, with the writing-tables grouped round the historic pillars, the bright curtains, the games and newspapers, and refreshments. The churches and schools, the political clubs and institutes vie with A HE Undersigned have received instruct ench other in offering hospitality and comfort. There are concerts and entertainments; Mr. Fortescue has lectured the glorious past of the Queen's West Surrey, who contribute to the number of Windsor's guesty. And this is only an example of what is going on in many places up and down the country.

NEW TEAKWOOD FURNITURE, AND At Eton, beyond the bridge, the school displays a huge recruiting appeal, and devotes itself pertinaciously to the task of preventing its elder pupils from rush-Uphelstered Drawing Room and Bedroom ing in a body to take commissions. Or Suites, Bedroom Furniture, Dining Room the declaration of war the headmaster's Furniture, Arm-chairs and Sofas, Carpots postbag must have made an interesting and Rugget Brass, and Brass-mounted study. In the upshot no less than 110 Bedsteads, Toilet, Tables, Wardrobes, Eton boys discovered excellent reason Washstands, &c., Sideboards, Dinner for not returning in the autumn term Waggons, Extension Dining Tables and and Sandhurst and the army have then Chairs, etc., etc., Dinner and Dessert all. One of them spent precisely sever Services, Crockery, Glass and E.-P. Ware. hours at the seat of war, and was home again with a shell wound before he had seen or been seen by a single German Of the teaching staff 12 have already lef for military duties and three more expecto be called away at a future date. Blackwood Fire Screen, Stands, Teapoys, still greater number of substitutes would Bettees, etc., Two Pianes, Marble Clocks have to be found, were it not that ther Two Combination Sales, Remington Typeare limits to what a great public school writers, Brass Fenders and Fire Brasses can spare, and that the withdrawal c (new) and a few lots of Table Linen, 1 older boys means the need of more, no of less, supervision over those that ar

Much line been written and said about the enervating effect of the luxury which the modern public schoolboy lives Yet the O.T.C. has given some 10,00 161 officers to the army, and they have th testimony of Lord Roberts and others their care for the men, their skill in handling them, their cheerful shouldering of drudgery and discomfort. Harrow Per N. Y. K. s.s. Suca Mars: From claims that 75 per bent of her old Li nden Jan., 8, M. D. Wood, Mrs J. O. boys " of military age are serving or training for service. We have no doubt that many other public schools could show Tana. Blive Pucock. Miss Shirley, Bliss equally good hands. It may be that, Blookley, Mrs. and Miss Reid, Mr H. F. owing to the war, we shall all have to reconsider our views on the connection between luxury and that greater danger. felsoknose; just as, owing to the war, the

ous than of old. The smallest boys take national life and need. things more seriously; presentilloes are fower; keenness is sharper. The volun-

tary services of intercession on Thursday evenings were so crowded that very seen both chapels had to be used for them. and more than mero schoolboy delight in a tuno gives the singing of the National Anthem on Sundays its thrilling heartiness. In play hours the O.T.C. ubsorbs

nearly all the energies of 600 members of the school. Thursday football has been given up for extra drills, skirmishing, sad elementary maneuvring withe Regular troops or battalions from other schools. One day Major Warre, a son of the Provost, gave a technical lecture on fighting in trenches and very soon afterwards 15 Etonians were discovered digging scientifically in the still and heavy soil of a piece of waste land such a trench as Major Warre had described. It was the same spirit which quickly raised £000 for the National Relief Fund and collected from pocket-money in a week nearly £100 to provide clothing, books, and so forth any Londoner of the idea that London for the Belgian boys housed by the masters. It was the public school spirit, which may lie dormant in days of esse, but never gets wholly out of training, and

Radical wocking man of the North, as is swiftly about to play the game when the Dean of Manchester told Eton in a the game is on. And this might be addrmon in the chapel, has reconsidered ed-that perhaps for the first time in our his views of the "upper classes." Mean- history the public schools are now while life at Eton is suberer, more strenu- brought into direct touch with the

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The P. M. S. S. Co. ser. Manchuris, arrived at San Francisco on February

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Korea sailed from Yokohama on Thursday, Fub. 18th, via Manila for Hongkong. The mails have been transferred to the 3.8.

Heat warm of the N.Y.K. Line, which is scheduled to arrived at Hongkong Feb. 28th.

Other Fessels. The American & Oriontal Line s.s. Royal Prince arrived at Yokohama on the 8th February, and may be expected at

Hongkong on the 23rd Feb. The Pather Line u.s. St. Egbart left New York for Hongkong via Sucz Canal onthe 2nd January, and is due here about the beginning of March.
The Barber Line s.s. Bolton Custle left New York for Hongkong via Panama Canal on the 29th January, and is therefore expected to arrive here about the beginning of April.

Latest Admers. The s.s. Itola sailed from Calcutta on the 20th February, and may be expected. here on or about the 11th March.

SHARE LIST,—QUOTATIONS,

FEBRUARY 20, 1915.

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